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Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Applicants: Crossland, William A.; Curtin, Christopher J.; Davey, Anthony B.;  
Duboc, Jr., Robert M.; Fahlen, Theodore S.  
Assignee: Candescant Technologies Corporation  
Title: Display With Active Contrast Enhancement  
Serial No.: 09/307,044  
Examiner: Unknown  
Docket No.: CT-M117 US  
Filed: 5/7/99  
Group Art Unit: 2871

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); and
- (3) Preliminary Amendment (5 pages).

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**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	<u>Claims Remaining After Amendment</u>		<u>Highest No. Previously Paid For</u>		<u>Present Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Additional Fee</u>
Total Claims	130	Minus	130	=	0	x \$18	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	7	Minus	7	=	0	x \$78	\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application						\$
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Request for Extension of Time						\$
<b><u>Total additional fee for this Amendment:</u></b>							\$ <u>0.00</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-2386 in the amount of						\$ <u>0.00</u>
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the above-patent application as given below.

IN THE CLAIMS

Rewrite Claims 3, 21, 51, 68, 79, 81, 98, 104, 111, 112, and  
117 as follows:

--3. (Amended) A display as in Claim 2 wherein each

shutter strip transmits up to a portion  $P_{T-AS}$  of incident  
visible light provided from outside the display,  $P_{T-TS} - P_{T-AS}$   
[ $P_{T-TS} - P_{T-AS}$ ] being at least 0.1.

21. (Amended) A display as in Claim 20 [6] wherein each  
imaging element is light emissive.

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